

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
GALVESTON DIVISION**

JASON C. SCHNEIDER, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

LLOYD J. AUSTIN III, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:22-cv-00293

JOINT STATUS REPORT

On May 19, 2023, Defendants notified the Court that the preliminary injunction in *Colonel Financial Management Officer v. Austin* (“*Col. FMO*”) No. 8:22-cv-01275-SDM-TGW (M.D. Fla.) had been dissolved, the class decertified, and the action dismissed as moot in light of the rescission of the vaccination requirement challenged in that case and the present matter. *See* ECF No. 27. Given these changed circumstances, the parties proposed to file a joint status report on or before June 2, 2023. *See id.*

Since then, the parties have conferred and are continuing to discuss what next steps will be necessary to resolve this case. Additional discussions may help to conserve the Court’s and the parties’ time and resources. Accordingly, the parties respectfully propose to file another joint status report on or before July 10, 2023, at which time they will propose next steps for this litigation.

Dated: June 2, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on June 2, 2023, I electronically filed the foregoing paper with the Clerk of Court using this Court's CM/ECF system, which will notify all counsel of record of such filing.

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